

H.C. Burleigh Papers

Forward

QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY ARCHIVE	
DATE	2001
BY	5.2 / 53
FILE	2

saturday **21** february 1959

Mr Cull
was grandfather
of Miss Henry Forward
He built the Haynes
at York Road
Fudge Smith

Elkosin Suspension
Sulfonamide therapy without tears

sunday 22 february 1959

much conversation prob. 1
Wm. T. Buckley 3 " 1 32
Sgt. " 2 " 2
Sgt. " 2 " 2
Jen. Polking 3 adm
Sergeant Refrains + Pno 153
Jen. + Refrains Pno 569
Milo Peterson R adm

Ray A. Sweeney
14-6-1552 1859-60

Serpasil
serpine - a product of original CIBA
research



PTE. CANNIFF FOSTER AND TWIN BROTHERS

Pte. Canniff Foster Killed In Action

HAS TWO BROTHERS ON ACTIVE SERVICE—FINE RECORD OF HILLIER FAMILY.

There have been many instances of splendid unselfish service on the part of Canadians all over this country of ours since the war began but there are few families who have shown a finer spirit of patriotism and loyal devotion to the Empire than has been exhibited by the three eldest sons of Mr. W. A. Foster of Hillier. Of a family of four boys only one remains at home, a young lad of about twelve years. Two of the boys, Sherman and Norman, twin brothers, joined the 155th Battalion in the spring of 1916 and the eldest boy, Canniff, who has just been killed in action, enlisted with the 235th in November 1916, going overseas the next year where he was transferred to the 48th Highlanders (134th Battalion).

Pte. C. Foster went to France in February 1917 where he joined the 4th Canadian Mounted Rifles with which unit his twin brothers had

been serving in France since December 1916.

In the recent fighting the Canadian cavalry took a magnificent part, an official report stating that the splendid work done by our Canadian mounted troops which resulted in the capture of certain important points, was responsible for the safety of Amiens. In recent despatches some of the military writers likened these engagements of the Canadian cavalry to the famous charge of the Light Brigade at Balaclava.

Shortly before enlisting Pte. C. Foster was married to Miss Helen Gilbert of Sydney. He was officially reported killed in action on April 20th. Like many more of our splendid Canadian heroes he has given his life for his country and the principles which we all hold dear, and while the deepest sympathy is extended to his wife, father, mother and other sorrowing relatives, there is also on the part of the entire community hearty realization of a deep sense of admiration for the fine patriotic record of these three brothers.

In the cut accompanying this article Pte. C. Foster recently killed in action, is in the centre of the picture and his twin brothers on either side.

the Robert Simpson Company. He is a member of the Masonic lodge, also of the Commercial Travellers' Association, and is highly respected by all who know him.

"If I could have had Tanlac five years ago," continued Mr. Brown, "I could have saved myself not only a world of suffering, but more than a thousand dollars, which I paid out for other treatment and medicines that failed to do me any good. I don't believe anyone ever had a worse case of stomach trouble than I had. In fact, I got so bad off I was given up to die by my family and friends, and had lost about all hope myself of ever getting well. Even the most dainty and delicate dishes failed to arouse my appetite and the least bit of food of any kind caused me intense suffering. I would bloat up terribly with gas, had a mean agonizing pain in the pit of my stomach, and was never free from headache. No matter what I ate my suffering was awful, and for over nine months at one time was on a light diet. Half the time I couldn't put on my boots or dress myself, because I didn't have the strength, and my desperate condition can be better understood when I say that I had fallen from one hundred and thirty-five pounds to only ninety-six. I was nothing but a frame of skin and bones, was so nervous I could hardly sleep, and felt so irritable and bad I didn't want anyone around me at all. Everything was done for me, it seems, that could be—X-ray photographs of my stomach were made, stomach pumps used and every treatment known, but no one seemed to understand my case, and I kept getting worse. After spending eight months in the hospital here to no avail, I was advised to go to Mt. Sinai Hospital in New York, and I spent three months there, but still didn't improve one bit. I felt that life was hardly worth living, and lost all faith in medicines.

"One day while talking to my brother-in-law he asked me why I didn't take Tanlac, and I said, No; I have taken enough stuff, nothing will do me any good. But he insisted until I bought a bottle, and Providence was surely guiding me that day, for I firmly believe that was the move that saved my life.

To say it is wonderful the way Tan-



FOR
**ADAMS &
McC**

Pan
Raid

London Toronto Montreal
St. John, N.B. Hamilton Calgary

**WHOLE COUNTRY
Belleville**

**TO SPEND THE DAY WITH
VETERANS MAKING
FOR THEIR**

Every day communication headquarters of the Great Hastings and Prince Edward Building, Belleville from soldiers from all over Eastern the Bay of Quinte fighting of their first annual reunion no effort to make the occasion of all who attend. The military by the boys who have been for civilization and other

censes of 1851

Forward

Bath

(b. 7 July 1819)

Forward.	David T. Foundraman	C. W.	C. E.	33
marr.	Martha (J. Anderson)	"	"	31
23 Apr 1840	Henry T	"	"	10
	Mary E.	"	"	7 F
	Amelle J.	"	"	6 F
	Agnes J.	"	"	4 F

Forward.	Abel P. Farmer	U. S. A.	Pres (b 1788)	64
marr. 24	(shop)	"	"	60
6 Mar 1816	Elizabeth (b. 23 Mar 1792)	"	(d 29 Aug 1874)	21
	Joanna M (b. 9 Feb 1831)	C. W.	"	18
	Almina J. (b. 17 Dec 1834)	"	"	24
marr.	George B. Laborer (b. 24 Mar 1838)	"	Lutheran	22
19 June 1850	Adelia A (Clement)	U. S. A.	"	22

Forward.	De Witt C. Distiller	C. W.	W. M.	27
marr.	Ester (Clement)	U. S. A.	"	27
17 Sep 1846	Elizabeth S	C W	"	1

History of Freemasonry in Canada

- 1815, 27 Dec. Abel P Forward, Sec., L. H. Forward Treas Bath Lodge
- 1817, 27 Dec Feast of lodge at Bro. A. P. Forward's Mansion Ho. Hotel.
- 1818, 28 Dec " " " " Inn.
- 1821. After loss of lodge room by fire meeting at Bro Forward's Tavern.
- 1821, Oct 17 Bro Cattie's farm surveyed for building stone.
- 1821, 11 Nov Meeting at Bro A. P. Forward's house
- 1828, 9 Aug Meeting of "the lodge of Concord" at Bro. Forward's.

Langhorn Register

- 1816, 20 Jan Lester H. Forward & Joanna Fairfield married by licence by George Skill Stuart.

CANADIAN MEDICAL SERVICES
REPORT OF RADIOLOGICAL EXAMINATION

Reg. No..... Unit.....
Rank..... Corps.....
Name..... Film No.....

Report of Radiological examination of:

Station.....
Unit.....
Date.....

Radiologist

Hartford Times
Dec. 7, 1946

Phelps
Forward

Answers

A-6442-32 I.W.L. July 20, 1946. FORWARD-PHELPS. Ref.
The Phelps Gen. by O.S. Phelps and A.T. Derwin, 1899.

Samuel Forward, son of Samuel, b. Windsor, July 23, 1671,
d. Belchertown, Mass., 1734; mar. Deborah Moore of Seinsbury
Two chil. b. Seinsbury, the rest recorded in Belchertown (page 115)

Abel Forward b. Belchertown Nov. 7, 1710; mar. Hannah, dau.
of Joseph and Rebecca (North) Phelps

William Phelps emigrant, bap. Tewkesbury Abbey Church
Aug. 19, 1599, son of William and Dorothy Phelps; no
record of his wife.

Joseph (2) b. England abt. 1629, came with father to New
England, 1635-6, mar. Sept. 20, 1660, Hannah, dau. of Roger Newton;
she d. 1675.

Joseph (3) b. Windsor Oct. 20, 1667, mar. Mary, dau. of Joseph
and Elizabeth (Sanford) Collins. Joseph (4) b. Seinsbury, Oct. 9,
1689, mar. Jan. 27, 1713-14, Rebecca North, b. Farmington, 1693,
d. Turkey Hills, 1732. Hannah, dau. Joseph and Rebecca (North)
Phelps, b. Turkey Hills, Conn., June 7, 1717, mar. Abel Forward.
son & Dorothy B. L. B.

Samuel Forward

William
bap. Tewkesbury Abbey Ch. Aug 19, 1599

Joseph = Sept 20, 1660, Hannah, dau. Roger Newton
b Eng. | abt 1629 d. 1675

Samuel Forward
b. Windsor, Jul 23, 1671
d. Belchertown Mass 1734
= Deborah Moore of
Seinsbury

Joseph Phelps = Mary dau Joseph & Elizabeth
b. Windsor Oct 20, 1667 (Sanford) Collins

Jun 27, 1713/14
Joseph = Rebecca North
b Seinsbury d. 1693
Oct 6, 1689 d. Turkey Hills 1732

Abel Forward = Hannah Phelps

b. Belchertown b. Turkey Hills
Nov 7, 1710 June 7, 1717

1811 10

1816 20

Abel Phelps

b. 1788-9 yrs.

Dr Lester H = 20-1-1816 Joanna Fairfield.

10



Abel P. = Mar 10, 1811 Abrial S. Fitch
b. Mar 19, 1793
d. Feb 12, 1814

Wm A
b. Mar. 23
1817
Oct 29, 1865
= Almira

Elyth S
b. Jul 22
1817
d. Sep 17, 1841
= Wm T

Sad Oling
Oct 25, 1838
Feb. Oct 10, 1810
d. Mar 13,
1899

Daniel T
b. Jul 7
1819
= Martha J.
Underdon
Apr 23, 1840
b. d. Sep. 7
1897

Henry T
b. Feb 4
1821
= Minerva
Anne Ham
Jul 23, 1844
b. d. Feb 28, 1845
Napanda

Josias
b. Feb 7
1823

De Witt C
b. Nov 12
1825
= Esther
Clement
Sept 17
1846
b. d. Sep. 11
1900
she d.
Oct 8, 1915
she b. Apr 3, 1825 . in K. G. H.

Geo B
b. Mar 24
1828
= Maria
Clement
June 19
1850
b. d. Sep. 11
1859

Garnett M
b. Feb 9
1831
= Rev. Wm
Shook
June 20
1859

Almira Jane
b. Dec 17
1834
= Rev Wm Peake
June 16, 1862

Mar 6, 1816 Eliza Thorpe
b. Mar 23, 1792
d. Aug 29, 1874

Berlin (bro? of Abel P.)
= 20... 1816 Joanna
Fairfield
dau. Wm Fairfield Jr.
died. Oswego
May 29, 1881

Grace Forward
d. 7-26-13, 1907

Chas Chilton
b. Sep 15, 1855
= Flora J. Smiley
Oct 3, 1882
b. d. Sep 1, 1928
she b. Mar 24, 1857
d. Sept 1938

Geo Edmund
b. Oct 15, 1857
= Ida Mary
Warner
Mar 26, 1884
K. in 1936

Wallin Baldwin
b. Nov 14, 1858
= Lida Jane Fleming
Dec 14, 1881
and Apr 9, 1889

Walter Baldwin
left Millhaven
Sep. 7, 1896
Eaton joining
d. Oct 13, 1853
d. Mar 25, 1850

Jessie Thorp
b. Dec 20, 1882

herbar (bro? of above?)

= 200.1816 grams
Fairfield
San. Wm Fairfield Jr.
Fred. Dwyer
May 29. 1881

Grace Forward
a 7 26 13, 1907

80 - 82

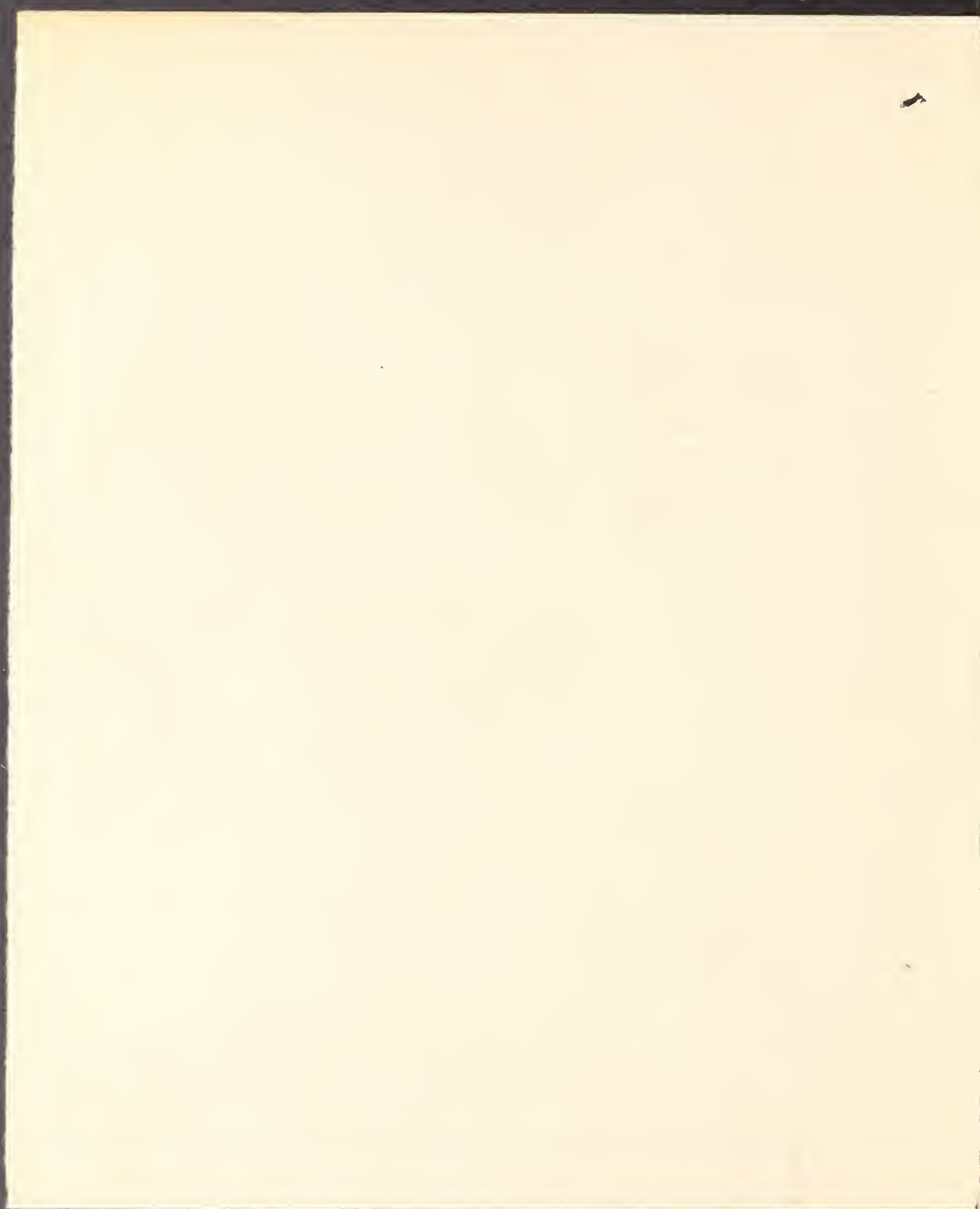
75

90

73

80

dent



Forward Family Bible

Family Record

Marriages.

Abel Phelps Forward to Abiah S. Fitch March 10, 1811

Abel Phelps Forward to Elizabeth Thorp March 6, 1816

William A. Forward to Almira Phelps July 1, 1835

& to Mary Annette Hutchinson June 12, 1842

William F. Collins to Elisabeth S. Forward Oct 25, 1838

David J. Forward to Martha J. Anderson April 23, 1840

Henry S. Forward to Minerva Anne Ham July 23 1844

George ^(B)₍₆₎ Forward to Delia Clement June 19 1850

DeWitt Clinton Forward to Esther Clement Sept 17, 1846

George B Forward to Delia H Clement June 19 1850

Joanna M Forward to Rev. Wm Short June 20, 1859

Rev. Wm Peake to Almira Jane Forward June 16, 1862

Walter Baldwin Forward to ^(J)Ida Jane Fleming Dec 14 1881

Charles Clinton Forward to Flora J. Amey, Oct 3, 1882

George Edmond Forward to Ida Mary Wemp March 26, 1884

Births.

William A. Forward March 23, 1812

Elizabeth S. Forward Feby 22, 1817

David S. Forward July 7, 1819

Henry S. Forward Feby 4, 1821

Joanna ^(M)~~(S)~~ Forward Feby 7 1823

DeWitt Clinton Forward Nov 12, 1825

George Baker Forward March 24 1828

Joanna M Forward Feb. 9 1831

Almira Jane Forward Dec. 17 1834

Finis



Abel Phelps Forward April 26, 1788

Abiah S. Fitch, March 10, 1793

Elizabeth Thorp March 23, 1792

William Fowler Collins Oct 10, 1810

Charles Clinton Forward Sept 15, 1855

George Edmond Forward Oct 15, 1857

Walter Baldwin Forward Nov. 14, 1858

Jessie Thorp Forward, dau. Walter B. Forward Dec. 20, 1882

Dewitt Clinton Forward, Jr., son of Charles B. Forward born June 18, 1889

Deaths

Abiah S. Forward Feb 12, 1814

Almira Forward, wife of Wm A. Forward Oct 17, 1841.

Elizabeth Sophia, wife of Wm F. Collins Sept 17, 1841

At Vera Cruz, Mexico, on the 12th April, 1848, Francis Forward.

At Savannah, Georgia Oct 19, 1865 Wm A. Forward

At Kelvin Grove, Ennesdown Dec 10, 1868 at 6 o'clock 10 minutes AM. Abel Phelps Forward.

Elizabeth Thorp Forward Aug 29, 1874 7:15 AM

Henry Thorp Forward at Napanee Feb 28, 1895 12 AM.

At Bath Sept 7, 1897, David Thorp Forward aged 78 yrs 7 months

William Fowler Collins, at Quillia March 13, 1899 aged 89 years in his 89th year.

Adelia A. Forward at Napanee May 27, 1888 aged 59 yrs 4 months 27 days

Dewitt Clinton Forward, Sr. died Sept 11, 1900

George B. Forward died Oct 8, 1906.

Mrs. D. B. Forward died 8 Oct. 1915

Charles B. Forward died Sept 1, 1928.

a
s
w
h
w

a
fo
ti

w
i
o
w
h
v
e
e

Marriage

(pencil) Dec? 28 1891

Simons - Collins. — On the 28th instant, at Trinity Church, by the Rev. T. W. Noble, Archibald Simons, to Ida, only daughter of Wm. C. Collins, late of the Department of Crown Lands, and folk of Quebec.

Deaths

At Kelvin Grove, Ernestown, Ontario, on the 10th Dec., after a long & painful illness, Abel Phelps Forward, Esq., father-in-law of Revs. W. Short and W. H. Peake. Deceased was one of the few remaining settlers of more than half a century ago, on the Bay of Quinte.

At Kelvin Grove, Ernestown, Ontario, on the 10th instant, after a long and very painful illness, Abel P. Forward, Esq., father-in-law of W. F. Collins, Esq. (Department of Crown Lands) of this city. Deceased was one of the few remaining settlers, of more than half a century ago, on the Bay of Quinte.

In Memoriam

Mr. Abel P. Forward, father of the late Hon. Wm. A. Forward of Florida, and James T. Forward, Esq., (our townsman) departed this life at Kelvin Grove, Dec. 10th, 1868 in the 80 year of his age, after a painful illness of eight weeks. — He was his privilege to receive the watchful care of a devoted wife, with whom he had lived over 52 years, also his children, all of whom had the satisfaction of being with him, and ministering to his comfort during his last illness, except one daughter. He was born in old Hartford, Conn., in 1788, & descended from an honorable Puritan Ancestry, & early instructed by a pious mother in the scriptures & catechism, in the faith of which he died — ~~being~~ being asked by his daughter in his last moments, if he trusted in Jesus, his reply was, Yes, and He is my support.

Mr. Forward emigrated to Canada, in 1814, settling in Bath, in the vicinity of which he lived for over half a century. In many respects he was a remarkable man, intelligent, & a constant reader, was at home on all subjects, well versed in the politics of his adopted country, as well as his own in which he took a deep interest, particularly in her late struggle. His faculties were unimpaired to the last, intellect clear, memory remarkable, although an invalid for over 20 years was never known to utter an impatient word or murmur at the dealings of Providence. Many friends gathered around the house of mourning to pay the last tribute of respect to an old friend — a land mark has fallen but few are left.

Death of Hon. Wm. A. Forward

At a meeting of the members of the Supreme Court, the Bar, officers of

W
the
the
w
H
x
d
m
w
s
i
i
c
f
s
to
Co
P
v
f
a
o

The State, & others assembled in the Supreme Court Room at Tallahassee, on the 4th Dec., 1865, His Excellency, Gov. W^m Marvin was, on motion, invited to take the chair, & J. Wales Baker appointed Secretary.

Hon. R. B. Hilton offered the following Preamble & Resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

Judge W^m. A. Forward, one of the Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of Florida, having departed this life since the last term of the Court:

Resolved, That the Bench, Bar & offices of the Court here assembled, have received, with painful pensibility & unaffected sorrow, the intelligence of his death. They desire to express, and place on record their profound regard for the memory of the deceased: their appreciation of his patient & extraordinary industry; of his varied & extensive legal learning; of his uniformly gentlemanly & Christian deportment; of his reputation for integrity, sullied at no time by the slightest breath of ~~scandal~~ slander, or whisper of suspicion; of his impartiality, which command universal confidence; of his gentleness & simplicity of character; & of his kindness towards all brought within ^{the} his sphere of his influence — a combination of virtues & excellencies which made him alike respected & beloved, wherever known.

Resolved, That the Attorney General be requested to present these proceedings to the Supreme Court, with a request that they be entered upon its records.

Resolved, That the chairman of this meeting be requested to communicate a copy thereof to the family of the deceased.

On motion, resolved, that the ~~press~~ newspapers of the State, be requested to publish the proceedings.

On motion, the meeting adjourned

W^m Marvin, Chairman

J. Wales Baker, Secretary

Immediately after the adjournment of the meeting, the Supreme Court was organized, & J. B. Galbraith, Esq., Attorney General of the State, presented the proceedings of the meeting to the Court, accompanied by appropriate remarks, & moved that they be spread upon the Records of the Court. The motion was seconded by his Excellency Gov. Marvin, Mr. Papp, Mr. Hogue, Mr. Woodward & Mr. Holland, each of whom paid a beautiful tribute to the memory of Judge Forward.

The Court, consisting of Chief Justice Dupont & Judge Walker, responded in eloquent & feeling terms, delineating the character of their former Associate, as a man, & as a judicial officer, & directed the clerk to enter the proceedings of the meeting upon the Records of the Court. — Floridian.

5

Hon. William A. Forward, who died in Savannah, Georgia, on the 19th

of
f
b
a
ad
f
w
t
l
l
f
h
t
f
a
f
v
o
f
d
l
a
le
w
a
v
f
o
a
Co

of October, was at the time of his death a Justice of the Supreme Court of Florida, & a ruling elder in the Presbyterian church of Palatka, in that State. He was on his way to New York for health, when his disease taking a more aggravated form, he was detained at Savannah, there to die. The writer has not at hand the usual materials for an obituary, and must, therefore, content himself for the present with the simple statement, for the benefit of those who knew him, that the good man they loved so well, who returned their love with so generous a usury, the high minded, the noble hearted, the whole souled man, Patriot, jurist, Christian, "the godly man," of the type that inspired the Psalmist's lamentation, "ceaseth." He has "ceased from his ^{own} work," & "entered into his rest." The Church's "helps" are fewer by one; the Lord of the harvest has one fewer labourer in his harvest; the Sabbath-school has one fewer of self-sacrificing workers; & the sorrowing have one fewer sympathizing friends by this death. He was too good a man for his name to be celebrated with high-sounding praises, & I will not violate the proprieties of this sad office of friendship, & my sense of the beautiful & modest simplicity of his character, by attempting such a strain. His friends are a host large enough not to ask strangers to help them lament their loss. To them anything would be an impudence which should seek, with a hint suggestive of weeping, to add force to the plain statement that Judge Forward is theirs now only as far as they have their treasure in heaven. A bereaved pastor offers from afar, to the stricken family & church, his prayerful sympathies E.P.G.

The Hon. William A. Forward, judge of the supreme court of Florida, died at Savannah on the 19th last, in his 53rd year. Born in New York, he was taken as a child to Canada, & settled about 1840 at St. Augustine, & afterwards at Palatka, where his successful career as a lawyer & a circuit judge led, in 1859, to his promotion to the supreme bench. For about ten years he was a ruling elder of the Presbyterian church of Palatka, & he was, also, an active freemason.

Died.

On the 27th instant, Arthur Fowler, & on the 28th instant, John Edmund, infant twin sons of Mr. Wm. E. Collins, of Crown Land Department. — The funeral will leave their father's residence, No 6 St. George Street, St John's suburbs, on Friday, at 3 P.M., for Mount Hermon Cemetery. Friends & acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

Doctor Collins, (whose death we record this week, fourth son of W. J. Collins, Esq., of the Crown Lands Department of the Province) was born at Kingston



Out., in January, 1844. After a scholastic education derived from teachings at the U.C. College, Toronto, & at the well known & appreciated Seminary of Mr. Thom. Quebec, he commenced the study of medicine, under Doctor R.H. Russell of the last-mentioned place, & after three courses at McGill College, & one year at the "Bellevue" Hospital Medical College of the City of New York, graduated at the latter institution in 1864, & like many other Canadian medical students, almost immediately thereafter obtained a commission from the Federal Government as assistant Hospital Surgeon at once ^{sent} ^{yes} out for the "Front" in North Carolina to enter upon the very onerous duties of his office. After a service of many months under most trying circumstances, he was sent at the close of the war, in charge of a large number of convalescents to Moorhead City, N.C. and thence to New York. After discharging this duty, he received orders to report himself to Medical Head-quarters, at New Orleans, which he did, but having been attacked by that Southern scourge Fever & ague, he was obliged to resign. He returned to his father's in Quebec where after a year spent in recuperating his health, he completed his term of four years at McGill, received his diploma, & in May, 1869, settled in this village. Where by assiduous attention to the practice of his profession, his kind & genial disposition, he was deservedly popular. About eighteen months ago, he was seized with that painful disease that terminated so fatally on Monday evening last. A life that gave promise of much usefulness, has been early cut off, after passing through a season of extreme suffering & at times an agony almost beyond endurance. Everything that the loving affection of a devoted wife could devise, or the fond solicitude of anxious parents suggest was done, but the malady assumed a form which entirely baffles the skill of medical science. He died in full reliance upon his Saviour & assurance of eternal life. On Wednesday at one o'clock P.M. his remains were taken to St. James' Church here, where the funeral service was performed by the Rev. Mr. Motherwell, they were then taken to Portage-du-Fort, on the way to their final resting place, in Mount Royal Cemetery, Montreal. — Pontiac Advance (Byron, Que.).

III The Tallahassee Sentinel thus courteously speaks of the Democratic officers of the two Houses composing the last Legislature of Florida:

"Both Houses have been fortunate in the election of officers. The President of the Senate, (G. W. Macrae, Esq.) a young man considering the dignity & importance of his office, has borne himself to the satisfaction of all. He has been uniformly courteous, dignified & prompt. The same can be said with equal truth of the honorable Speaker (Wm. A. Forward, Esq.) a gentleman whom to know is but to esteem; both we believe, have secured the entire confidence of the bodies over whom they have been called respectively to preside."



It is with deep regret that we chronicle the death of Daniel J. Clement, which occurred at Orwell, N. H., Aug. 9, 1903. He was born at Henderson, Jefferson county, June 8, 1833, but most of his early days were spent at Mill Haven, Ont., his parents moving there when he was a child. After reaching his majority he returned to the home of his childhood days where he was engaged in farming. In 1879 he was married to Mrs. Rhoda A. Proity, of Altmar, who with three children, Herbert, Mrs. Walter Clement, of Orwell, & Walter Proity, of Hartford, Conn., survive him. He is also survived by a brother & sister, who reside at Mill Haven, Ont. He moved to Orwell some five years ago from Altmar, where at both places he was highly respected & honored by those who knew him. His strong constitution showed signs of decay a little less than two years ago, when he suffered from a severe attack of diabetes, from the effects of which he did not fully recover. The end came suddenly, as his last sickness was of very short duration. His funeral, which was largely attended, was held at his late home August 12, Rev. T. T. Davies & Cross officiating. The Orwell Grange, to which he belonged, attended in a body & conducted the services at the grave. Interment in Orwell Evergreen cemetery. He departed ~~was~~ a man of sterling worth, honest, upright & true. His neighbors trusted him & his friends loved him & the community mourns because of his departure. "Well done thou good & faithful servant."

Died

In Hamira, on Wednesday, October 14th, 1891, Catherine, relict of the late Albert Phillips, Esq., of Mill Haven, Ont., aged 78 years. The funeral will take place from the residence of her son, Geo. L. Phillips, 107 West Vidal Street, at two o'clock p.m. on Thursday, October 15th, to Lake View Cemetery. Friends & acquaintances are respectfully requested to attend. Same Oct 14, 1891

Died

At the residence of her Son-in-law, Mr Geo. B. Forward, Napanee, on Monday, May 5, 1884, Elizabeth Clement, aged 84 years, 2 months & 25 days. The funeral will leave Mr. Forward's residence, Market Square, on Wednesday at 10.30 o'clock & proceed to the Lutheran Church, Ernestown. Friends & acquaintances please accept this notice

Died

Springer — At Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, July 15th, 1919, Alice Badgley, beloved wife of S. Springer, age 60 years. Funeral private to Guelph Cemetery, Thursday, July 17th, 1919 at 2.30 pm



Died

Forward Family Bible

8

Augustus B. Collins, died January 26th, 1890, aged 54 years, 2 months
24 days.

Died.

On Monday, May 8th, 1882, at Selby, Jane, wife of Henry Sweet,
aged 79 years, 5 months 27 days. The funeral will leave her late residence,
Selby, at 10 o'clock a.m., on Thursday, the 11th, & proceed to the C.M. Church,
thence to the cemetery for interment. Friends & acquaintances are respect-
fully requested to attend.

Died

In Wapauce, on Sunday, May 27th, 1888, Adeline A. Clement, wife of
G. B. Forward, aged 57 years, 5 months & 27 days. The funeral will leave the
residence of G. B. Forward, John St., on Tuesday, May 29th, at 1 p.m., proceeding
to the Presbyterian Church, & thence to the Wapauce Cemetery.

In loving memory of Jesse Amey who died January 21st, 1917
aged 90 years. (sent to Mrs. Chas. Forward)

Died

Henry R. Sweet, Nov. 3rd, 1890 aged 24 years & 4 months. The funeral will
leave the family residence, Lot 24, Con. 5, Richmond, on Wed., Nov 5th, at 1 o'clock, P.M.,
& proceed to the Wapauce Cemetery (East Ward).

Died

At Selby, on Friday, March 14th, Henry Sweet, Sr., Aged 80 years & 8 months.
The funeral will take place from his late residence, on Sunday, March 16th, at 1:30
p.m., & proceed to the C.M. Church, Selby, thence to the Wapauce Cemetery.

To the memory of
D.C. Forward

died Sept 11, 1900 aged 74 yrs, 10 months.

John Fleming. ((March, 1889)) pencil note.

The subject of this memoir was born in the Township of Camden, Ont., in the year
1836, & died in peace at his late residence, Mill Haven, Ont., on March 31st, 1889, with
that fatal disease, consumption.... A few weeks prior to his death his oldest daughter
by da, wife of Mr. Walter Forward, was taken ill. She, too, soon joined her father in the
same. They were both interred in one grave at Bath cemetery.

Abel Phelps Forward ^{man 17, 1811} = 1st Elizabeth C. Fitch
b. Apr. 26, 1838 b. Mar. 19, 1813
d. Dec. 10, 1868 m. 19, 1814 Feb. 12, 1814
b. Hartford Conn = 2nd Elizabeth Thompson
Emig. to Can. 1814 b. Mar. 23, 1812
d. Aug. 29, 1877

Amey 1.8.9
Anderson 8.9

Galbraith 5

Russell 3

Hilton 5
Hutchinson 8
Ham 8.9

Badgley 2

Sweet 1³
Springer 2
Simons 6
Short 8.9
Sanford 10

McCrae 3

Thom 3
Thorp 7.8.9

Clement 1.2.8.9
Collins 1.4.6.7.8.9.10

Marvin 5
Moore 10

Davies 2

Newton 10
North 10

Wing 8.9

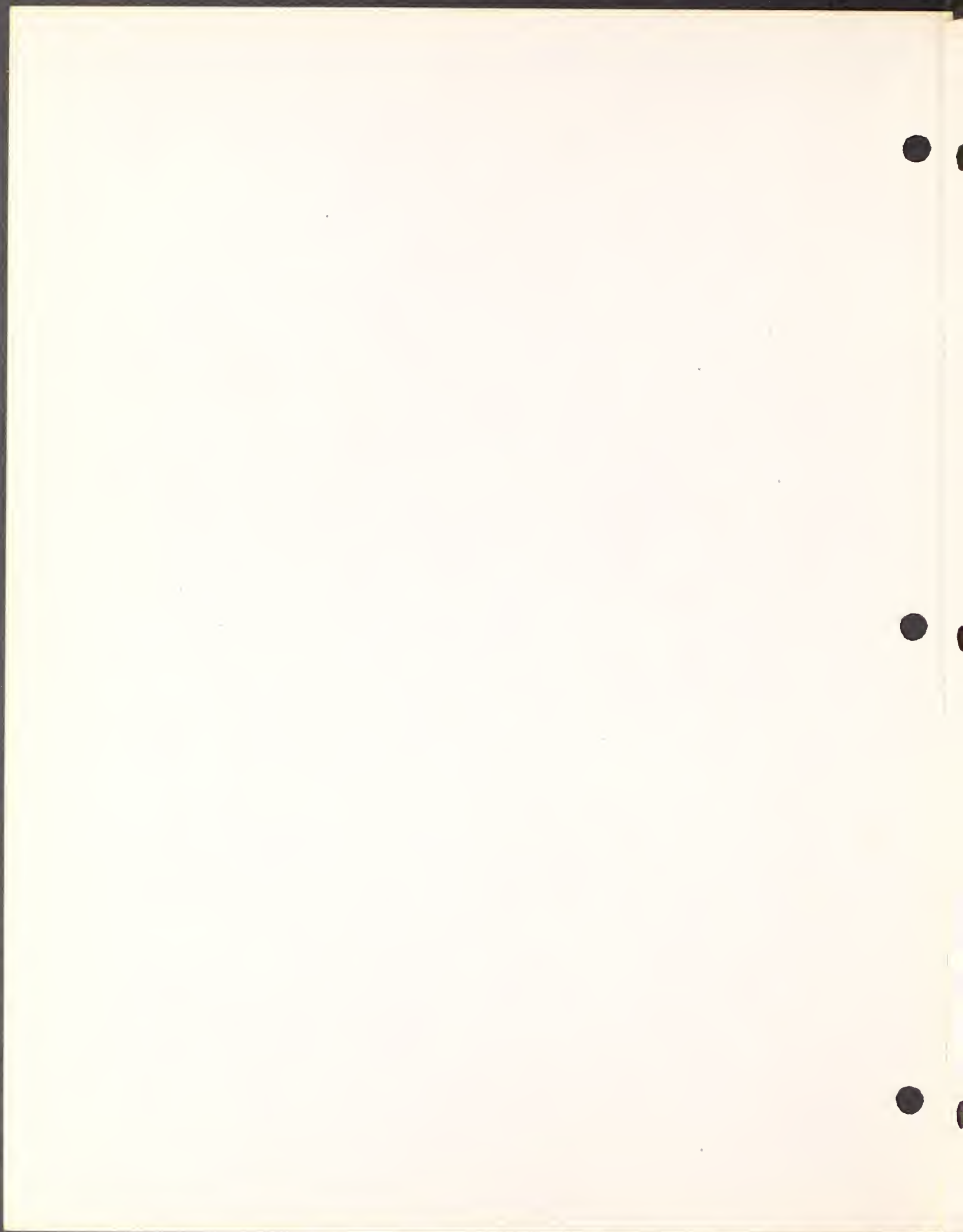
Prouty 2
Phillips 2
Philips 8.10²
Peake 8.9

Fairfield 7.10
Fleming 1.8.9
~~Fordham~~
Fitch 3.8.9

Lot number 17, on the front, or first, concession of Ernestown, is the most easterly farm recently purchased by the Federal Government to accommodate the new prison. The house on this lot, nestling half way up the slope, and facing the Bay, was long known as 'Kelvingrove'. The name is reminiscent of bygone days, those days of hard work and long hours, as well as of gracious living. It recalls those far-off days of family worship, quilting parties, of bees, the odor of newmown hay, the rattle of milk pails and of cows-knee-deep in the cooling water of the Bay.

For more than a century, and for four generations, Kelvingrove was the home of the Forward family, and within its four walls there grew to manhood a Supreme Court Justice of Florida, and others of lesser fame--merchants, manufactures^r, yeomen. From 1838, when the first Forward came into possession, until about 1942 when the last of the family died in his sleep, Kelvingrove knew no other owners.

Farm lot 17 has a most interesting history. In the fall of 1783, the year before the Loyalist settlement, the Township was surveyed into lots. Since transportation by water was the most convenient method, the lots were narrow and long, thus giving more settlers water frontage. Each lot of 200 acres was 440 yards in width and a mile and three eighths in length, which, in the vernacular of those early days, was a mile and a quarter and a half a quarter, or, better still, two whoops and holler. And, to further assist the settlers, each lot was divided in two, thus allowing twice as many settlers the privilege of living on the Bay shore. In this event, each man's lot was but 220 yards wide

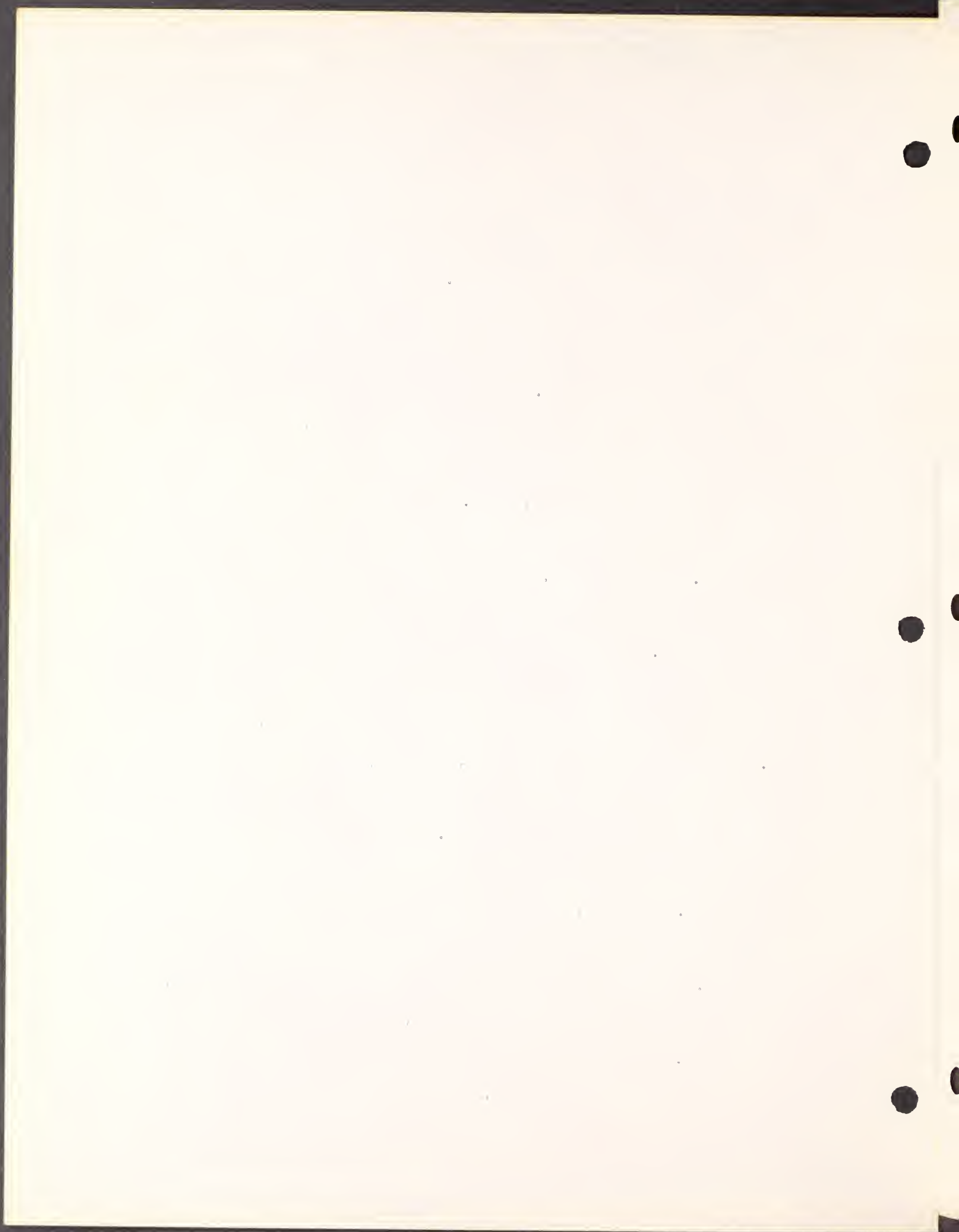


and a mile and three-eighths in depth. Because of the irregular contours of the shore, most lots on the 'Front' had additional land between the shore and the base line. This was called the broken front, and it meant that a settler might have several acres in addition to his regular allowance.

When the location tickets were drawn from the officer's hat, the east half of lot 17 fell to John Scout, while George Sangerhausen drew the west half. At that time, Scout was a married man with one child, while Sangerhausen was single. Both had been soldiers in the Loyalist regiments and both were present at the distribution of lots in June, 1784.

Scout and family remained on the east half until the autumn of 1789. On 22nd Sept. of that year he signed an agreement to sell to William Cottier, joiner, "lands and improvements at Mill Creek called No. 17, front concession, north side whereon he dwells, for the sum of £60 to be paid on or before 1st April next ensuing, provided William Cottier "do not sow the Summer-fallow." On 6th Sept., 1790, Scout gave a receipt, in full, and, according to a record in the Ontario Land Books, perhaps at the insistence of his wife, departed for the United States.

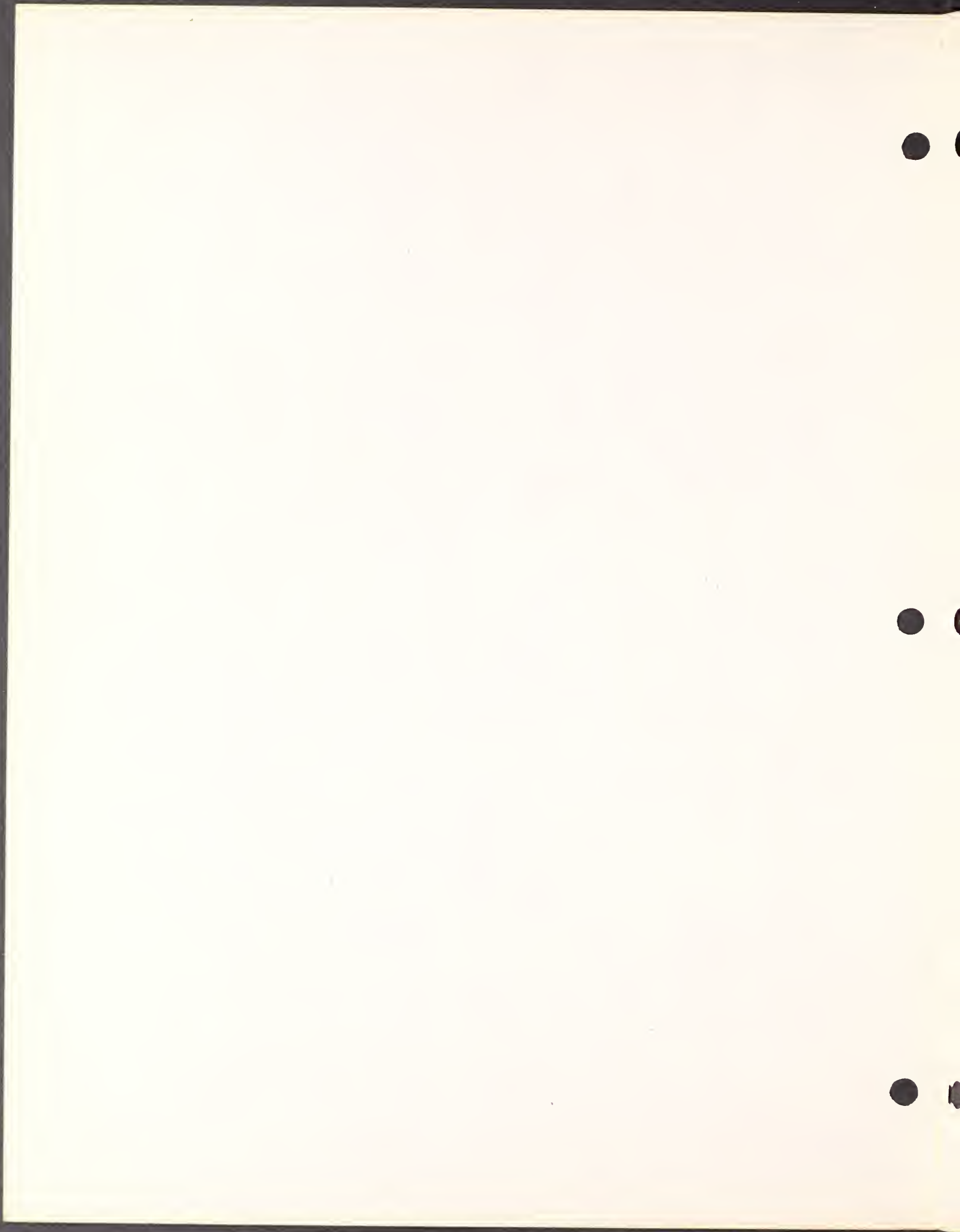
Sangerhausen also settled on his land, the west half of the same lot. By 1795, however, he had died intestate and without heirs, and doubtless lies buried in an unknown grave within sight of the Bay. Nicholas Arney, a fellow Loyalist and near neighbor, was appointed curator of his estate and, according to an agreement dated 22 Oct., 1795, he leased the farm for a year to Moses Jacobs who is described as a distiller. Jacobs evidently remained in possession until the farm was sold. An old indenture reveals that



'Nicholas Amey was authorized trustee or administrator of all and singular the lands and tenements lying and being in the first concession of Ernesttown, commonly known by the name of Sangerhausen's farm on the west half of Lot No. 17, and by virtue of his office did on the twenty fifth of said November set up at publick vandue in the Dwelling House of Henry Finkle, tavernkeeper, in said town and then and there was adjudged by the Said Nicholas Amey to William Cottier, being the highest bidder, for ~~the~~ the said sum of twenty three pounds ten shillings in full satisfaction as aforesaid, I do hereby acknowledge myself well and truly paid and there of do acquit the said William Cottier, his heirs, executors and administrators and his and their lands and tenements.'

However, there must have been some previous arrangement between Cottier and Amey because, on the day previous to the public vandue Cottier was given, by an indenture, a years ownership of this property beginning 25 Nov., 1797, 'with full rights on the payment of one pepper corn, if demanded, on the 1st day of May and thereby that William Cottier will be enabled to accept and take a Grant and release of the Reversion and Inheritance thereof to him and his heirs. Signed 27 February, 1798. All this would make one believe that full payment of the prescribed money was not forthcoming until the latter date, and that proof of Amey's rights as administrator was recognized by the token payment of one pepper corn.

William Cottier who had now come into possession of Lot 17 was himself a Loyalist. He had served in the Provincial Naval

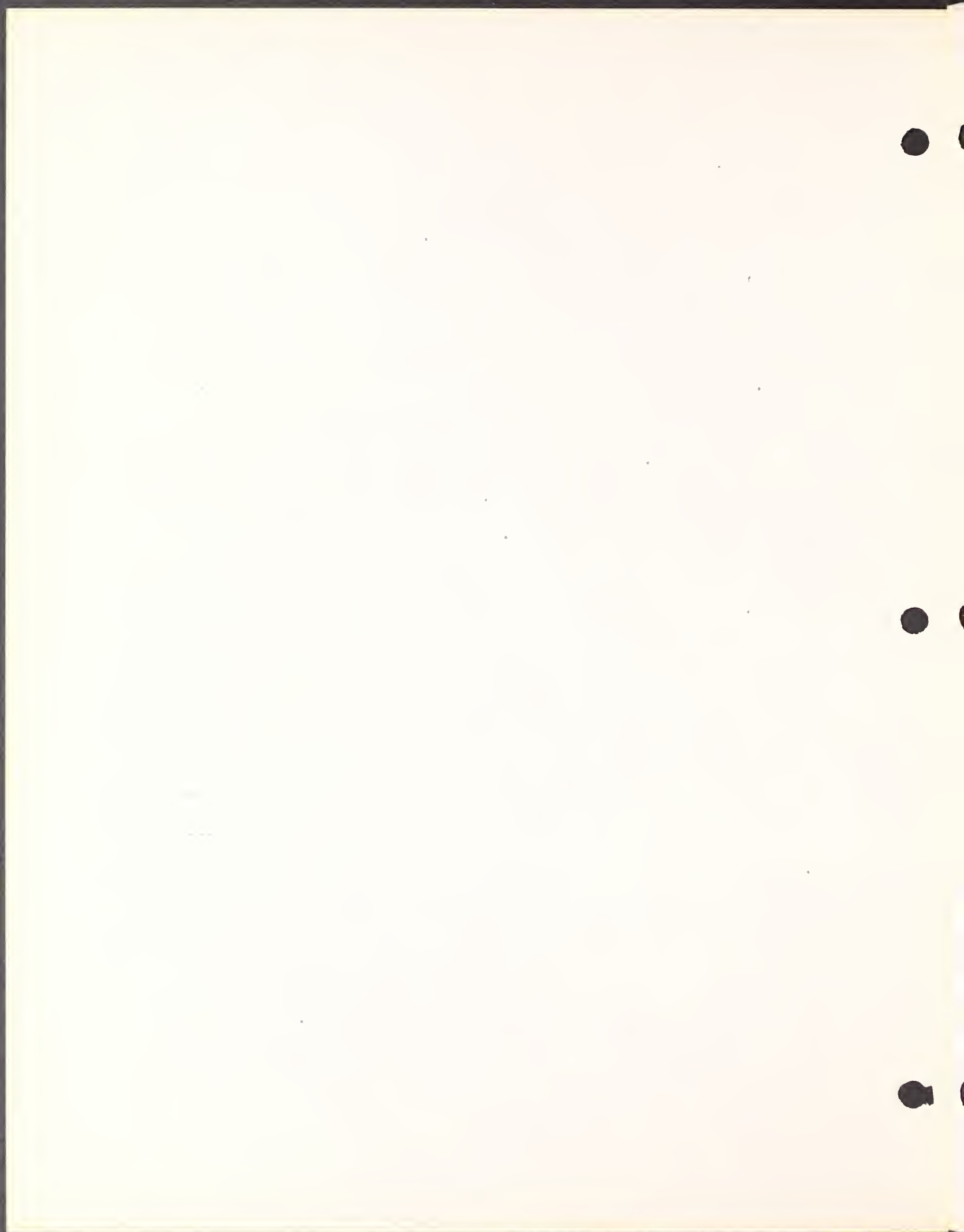


Service as a second mate and settled in Ernesttown shortly after the Peace. In 1788 he married, at St. John's Church, Bath, Mary, daughter of Sergeant David Williams, the first settler on Lot 19, where the Millhaven Inn is located. Cottier was then 45 years of age, and it would appear that he had been married before, since at least two men and two women by his name and belonging to a younger generation lived in the same locality at one time or another. William Cottier was a prominent man in the community. He was one of the founders of the Masonic Lodge in Bath, and became its first Master. He was likewise the prime mover in the institution of the Provincial Grand Lodge. He lived to a ripe old age dying in 1843 at the age of 98 years.

On 10 May, 1811, Cottier disposed of the north half of Lot 17. The indenture reads as follows:

'Whereby in consideration of 5 shillings paid by Daniel Cottier, William Cottier has given and granted the north half of Lot 17 in the first concession of Ernesttown to Daniel Cottier and his wife Catharine Cottier to have and to hold during their lives and the life of the survivor of them and after their decease to their daughter Catharine Cottier, Junior, forever....
....that neither he the said Daniel nor his aid wife nor their daughter aforesaid will during the natural lives of the said William and Mary and the life of the survivor of them, grant or convey the above described premises to any person or persons not approved of by them, the said William and Mary.'

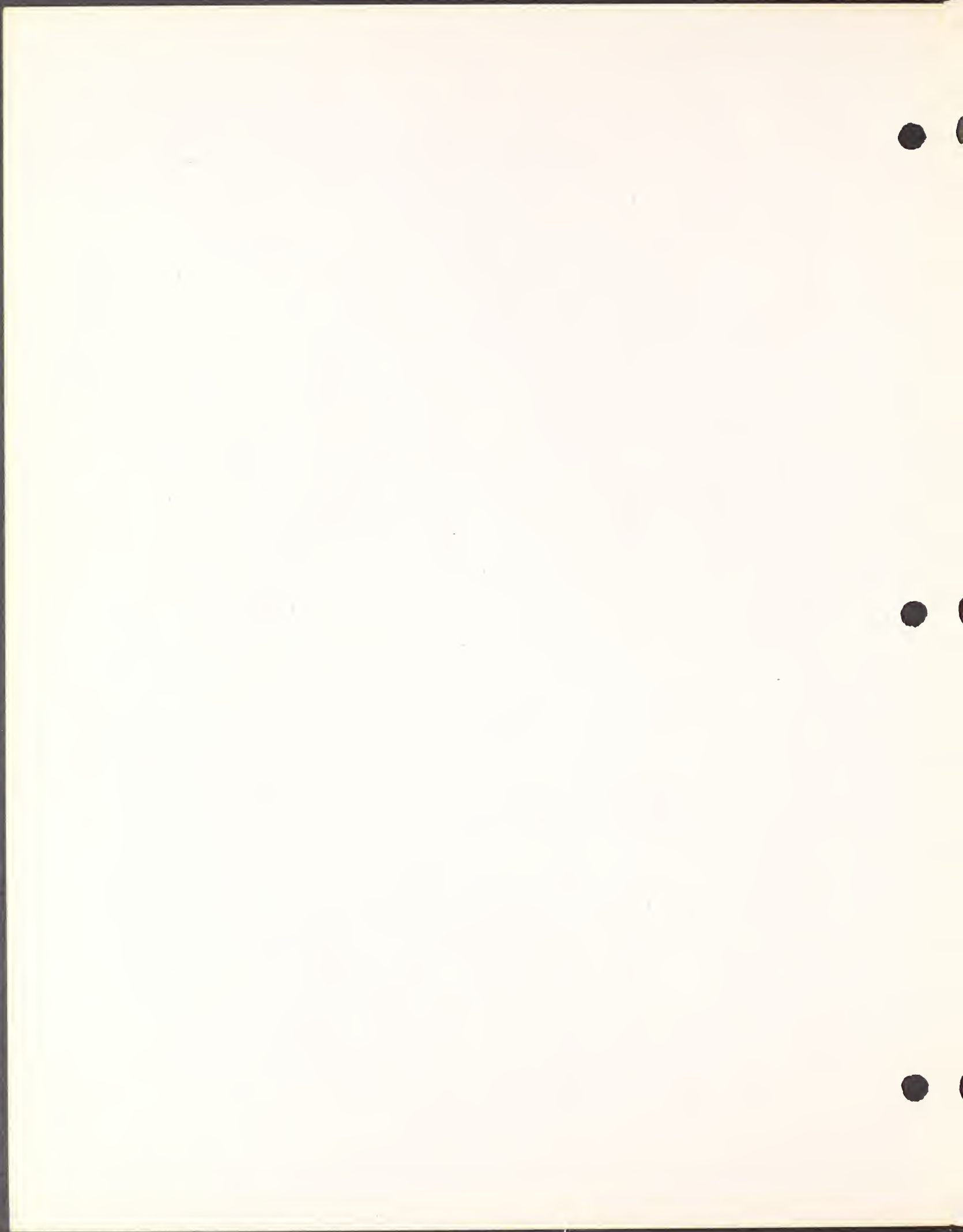
The terms of the above indenture indicate that the transfer of the north half of Lot 17 was a gift from William Cottier



to Daniel, presumably his son, his wife and daughter, with the stipulation that the latter could not sell the property to undesirable persons.

Daniel Cottier did not live to enjoy the fruits of his labors on the North half of the lot. The burial records of St. John's Church, Bath, show that he was buried on the 11 of June following. The marriage of Daniel's daughter, Catharine to William Bate, a person of a lower station, further alienated her from William. The result was that William, childless in his second marital adventure, and growing older, along with his wife, eventually made other arrangements for his last days. In 1838, being then ninety-three years of age, he made an agreement with an old friend and fraternal brother, Abel P. Forward, by which, the latter assumed ownership of the south half of Lot 17, in return for the care of the aging Cottiers. This agreement, dated 12 Feb., 1838,

'Between Abel Phelps Forward, yeoman, of the Township of Ernesttown, &c., and William Cottier, yeoman, and Mary Cottier, his wife, of the same place, whereby Abel Phelps Forward is bound to William and Mary Cottier in the penal sum of £500 lawful money to be paid to the said William and Mary Cottier, or the survivor of them. The condition of this obligation is that Forward truly pays to the said William and Mary Cottier, his wife, during their, or either of their, natural lives a yearly sum sufficient for the decent, comfortable and respectable maintenance of the said William and Mary Cottier, and which yearly sum is not to exceed £60 in each and every year and which annuity

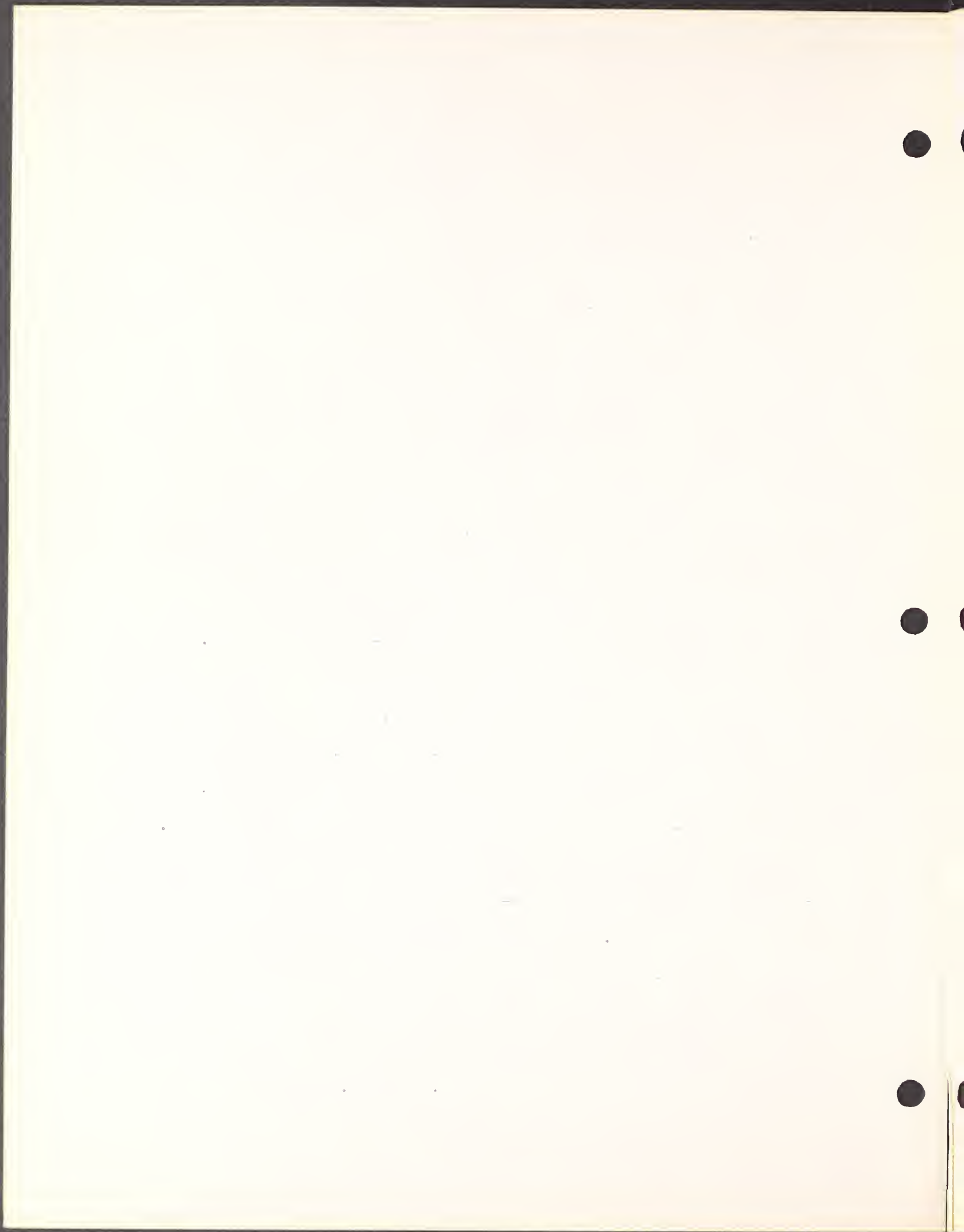


shall commence from the first day of January now last past, then this obligation to be null and void, otherwise in full force and virtue.'

As security for the above agreement, Abel Phelps Forward issued a mortgage for £-500 on the land in question, it 'to be nothing more than a collateral security from the said Abel Phelps Forward, his heirs, executors and administrators or assigns to the said William and Mary Cottier, his wife, or the survivor of them to secure to them the performance of a certain Bond from the said Abel Phelps Forward, conditioned that he shall pay to William Cottier and Mary Cottier, his wife, or the survivor of them a yearly sum sufficient for the decent, comfortable and respectable maintenance of them during their or either of their natural lives, which said sum is not to exceed the sum of £ 60 lawful money.'

Mrs. Mary Cottier survived this agreement by a little more than two years, dying 18 August, 1840. William Cottier died almost five years after the agreement. John C. Clark's diary noted the death of the old man as occurring 21 January, 1843, aged 98 years. Forward certainly profitted from the arrangement. Cottier, surviving almost five years, received, at the very most £ 60 per year, for a total of £ 300, a very reasonable price for the land in question.

Abel P. Forward came from an old New England family long resident in Belchertown, Mass., where his great, great grandfather, Samuel, settled in the early 1600s. His grandfather, Abel, married Hannah Phelps, from whom he was named. Abel P. was born in 1788.



He married Abiah S. Fitch in 1811. Their only son, William A., who became a Supreme Court Judge in Florida, was born in 1813. Abiah died in 1814. In the same year Abel P. came to Canada, locating in Bath. He returned to New England in 1816, where he married his second wife, Elizabeth Thorp. In 1817 he returned to Bath and opened the Mansion House Hotel, which he operated until the purchase of the Cottier Farm in 1838. Abel's second family of nine children included Dewitt C., who married Esther Clement and inherited Kelvingrove. At his death in 1900, the farm devolved on his son, Charles C. Charles married Flora J. Amey in October, 1882. Their only child, Dewitt C., born in 1889, never married. The last of the Forwards, Dewitt C., died in his sleep about 1942, thus ending over a century at Kelvingrove. And with the passing of the Forwards came the end of an era in the history of the Bay. The new owner became a part-time farmer, employed in industry, occupying the old house built in 1812, yet clinging by a figurative thread to the time-honored title of yeoman.

And soon sprawling, many-windowed, low - roofed structures devoted to industry will occupy the meadows and pastures, and even the summer-fallow, of six generations of yeoman, the backbone of any nation.

